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Scribe (SC): Guesnet Milot.

Time	Info From	Info To	Details
0645			ILC + Scribe O/S Briefing from P. McKenna 237 vehicles left in the core, challenges w/ staffing and moving of buses.
0656			Change of command McKenna to Lucas
0715	on air	NCRCC	Nicholas has not been placed.
0715	NCRCC	on air	will advise MTO
0803	QRT1	NCRCC	barrett barrel fire near Chateau Laurier.
0829	on air	NCRCC	city installing jersey barriers around Colonel By/Daly. Tactical + ESU need access, barriers will be placed to allow 1 vehicle to pass.
0842	P. works	I/C	Rideau fencing fortification is done
0900			Joint Sit Rep OPS: update our foot print, starting next -phase shortly Wellington now 55 vehicles OPP: monitoring convoys - 4 coach buses and pickups - Hawkesbury + Conway @ Harb's. activity from St-Jerome, from prior vehicles as well. RAMP: posting/staffing update:
			REDACTED
		is	S.O.U. 2 convoys being monitored. 20-25 convoys expected in Quebec City.
			REDACTED
			PPS: Will fence off 100% restricted access. House sitting until midnight.
			Intel: Social media posts shared. protesters have gotten media passes. end of Sit Rep.
0906			
0912	I/C	S. Roberts	phone call - touching base about fencing - Sam will reach out with direction. also touched base about food delivery.
0921	MacIntyre		Bus @ Elgin / Albert, warning post.
0927	NCRCC	on air	launched operational phase, line is @ censtaph.

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0928	onair	NCRCC	Cenotaph Elgin to Laurier: need QRT to stop all traffic from veh. moving west on Wellington (Sitawonewas)
0929	NCRCC	onair	e-mail received from MacNeill, Adam
0936	RCMP	I/C	RE: male in possession of body armour and intends to leave in body bag.. and second male of interest.
			Insp. Hecas forwarded email
0942	I/C	ICC (on Thompson)	phone call, looking to confirm location for detained persons to be turned over.
0944	Thompson	I/C	Elgin / Rideau prisoner hand off.
0946	QRT1	NCRCC	Need more units to hold Elgin / Rideau @ Cenotaph. Wellington
0947	Thompson	I/C	processing team is @ Chateau Laurier will move closer to the line once receive. (phone call)
0959	RCMP	I/C	(MacNeill) Red Honda Civic being watched, drone is over top picking up a heat signature, male has been observed going back and forth to the vehicle. info passed on to POU as well.
1004	ICC	NCRCC	looking for CBRN-E to attend cenotaph for propane tanks, tent @ war memorial full of tanks.
1005	MacIntyre	I/C	please reach out to CBRN-E
1005	I/C		making calls to get on call CBRN-E
1008	I/C	Wright, S.	phone call about CBRN-E response
1009	Wright	I/C	will send someone to go check it out
1010	MacIntyre	I/C	fering needed @ Cenotaph (under from S. Roberts) supports (to it)
1011	I/C	calling	S. Roberts for fering. (Roberts taking protesters are deploying their own CS gas. officer Jafar / awareness
1012	email from RCMP		MacNeill, drone holding position over vehicle between Bank and O'Connor approx halfway.
1017	S. Roberts	I/C	Public Works will have to assess for fering. will have to cut a back.

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1020	I/C	NCRCC	push out info on air re: public works
1021	Quesnel	I/C	protesters are handing out water bottles w/ black stripes on them, they are sniffing/smelling liquid and putting them in their pockets. (from COT)
			(info being shared w/ POV)
1027	on air	NCRCC	Laurier Bridge closed to pedestrians
1027	on air	NCRCC	Nicholas / Laurier need more units for protest control.
1028	I/C	OPS C.C.	call about GRT limited, may need patrol assistance.
1028	OPS CC	I/C	dealing w/ major call. will look @ resources.
1031	GRT 1	NCRCC	Metcalf / Sparks need more units
1033	9984	NCRCC	are we letting them leave or holding during the push south on Metcalf.
1033	NCRCC		let them leave if they wish to
1033	on air	NCRCC	NAC need more units, protesters using the hill, walking path.
1036	on air	NCRCC	Wellington / Metcalf need HOT
1037	NCRCC	on air	from ICC, water bottles w/ black stripes are contain flammable liquid.
			info confirmed by Coventry St. Officer safety info given on air.
			passed on to OPP + RCMP. + OPS dispatch
1043	8364	NCRCC	large group of pedestrians trying to cross Mackenzie King bridge - DR
1043	NCRCC		more units E/R.
1049	on air	NCRCC	W/B Daly from Nicholas, group of about 20 people walking.
1050	ICC	on air	Bank to Elgin - looking for clear route
1050	NCRCC	ICC	Somerset East - West clear route
1050	NCRCC	on air	group walking @ Weston Hotel.
			will try to get behind the line
1054	8364	NCRCC	press asking to walk over Mackenzie King Bridge.

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1050	NCRCC	8364	that is part of police operations, press can go to Somerset pedestrian bridge
1056	on air	NCRCC	Laurier/Elgin, 10:92 female officer for search. unit E/R.
1058	Comms	NCRCC	patrol elk elgin/Wellington for 10:92 needing medical assistance.
1059			another group heading to Somerset foot bridge from Nicholas 15-20 people
1059	9310	NCRCC	Kent/Albert, lots of trucks running here, movement, trucks trying to leave.
1100		Joint	Sit Rep: OPS: processing detainees. Line moving along Wellington. OPP: no update for convos. Intel: info about water bottles, arrest of protester who detonated smoke bomb. CGH got bomb threat, on going investigation. REDACTED post: 1PM press conference in Ottawa.
1103			end of Sit Rep
1111	RCMP MacNeil	I/C	90 Sparks, PPS seeing activity, asking if it's OPS. I/C looking into it. RCMP also going to fly drone over.
1117	NCRCC	on air	O'Connor/Sparks, large regrouping confirmed 90 Sparks is tactical.
1117	I/C	RCMP	group @ Metcalfe/Albert on foot
1120	8302	NCRCC	Besserer, on foot, group says they are here to administer first aid to protesters. parked on Besserer and walked in behind our post
1122	Belling	NCRCC	all vehicles towed from protest are being impounded for 7 days.
1129	S Wright (phone call)	I/C	confirming no issues @ censtaph, and red civic. Both cleared by CSRT/E. standing by ready to be deployed.
1129	on air	NCRCC	Laurier/Cumberland blue truck F350 contains plates T3P27/79 circling, trying to get in to censtaph. 3 in back w/ paramedic vest. (plate may be different/similar to)

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1134	8332	NCRCC	Plate on Blue Ford is BP21729
1135	OPP	I/C	call to OPP Smiths Falls, male (caller) stating he is a sniper, on a roof top downtown, if police don't back down he will start shooting police above info given, will reach out to tactical @ 90 Sparks
1136	I/C	ICC	(Thompson) neon cammo wearing person w/ water bottle, black bottom. Seen East side of Chateau Laurier in major Hills Park. (person drank from bottle later on)
1137	RCMP	I/C	OPP is trying to ping RE: Sniper info.
1142	on air	NCRCC	cannot locate person in neon cammo.
1146	Grab	I/C	on Mackenzie, near parked police vehicles, near Chateau Laurier, 30-50 protesters appear to be forming up. (POV advised)
1147	Comms	NCRCC	call for BOLD: REDACTED REDACTED on back told caller "nasty shit" about to happen downtown. L/S Riverside/Industrial.
1152	Quesnel (SIS)	I/C	3 on foot, came across locks, hoped fence - have been arrested.
1155	city	NCRCC	Gatineau Police closed Chaudiere Bridge
	NCRCC	city	Dermier wants N/B Chaudiere closed
1200	on air	NCRCC	10 walking W/B from Cumberland/Laurier towards bridge where to go.
1201	8302	NCRCC	East side of Chateau Laurier, 45-50 people. would like to have POV. (POV E/R)
1209	on air	NCRCC	pedestrians directed to Somerset bridge appear to be using canal to cross over into operational area.
1210	on air	NCRCC	large group of people are coming up York St stairs
1211	Grab	I/C	100 people now on East side of Chateau Laurier
1212	I/C	Grab	POV E/R

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1212	on air	NCRCC	Stains on Laurier Bridge, can we have barriers? (city tasked)
1230	Stump	I/C	pedestrians walking over Portage Bridge
1232	House	NCRCC	Site command asking for access to Laurier Bridge sitting long delays to get to and fro.
1232	I/C	ICC (Thompson)	called asking for Laurier Bridge solution. - will advise
1235	on air	NCRCC	Chateau Laurier about 120 protesters, fair amount of officers, no POU yet.
1237	I/C	POU	update on Chateau Laurier, about 20 officers
1238	8302	NCRCC	about 140 Protesters.
1246	on air	NCRCC	Chateau Laurier - group starting to advance (POU updated mobilizing)
1250	8302	NCRCC	POU arriving (Chateau Laurier)
1252	comms	NCRCC	Kent/Somerset (0 people + cars grouping. patrol going over to assess.
1300		Joint	Sit Rep.
			ops: update on our foot print, will start towing soon.
			OPP: trucks left E/B. Monitoring Antim.
			SO: 2 convoys. one on foot @ Portage.
			REDACTED
			Intel: Social media posts, incitement for violence against police.
1305			End of Sit Rep.
1300	I/C	Hull	copvo about road restrictions on Coreentry. Not part of exclusion zone. no action taken.
1323	MacIntyre	Hull	Bank/Somerset, many protesters.
1325	comms	NCRCC	Bus unloaded about 20 protesters near Left.
1332	9330	NCRCC	Wellington/Metcalf, locked + abandoned vehicle. dog inside. need Humank Society. can get dog out on Laurier bridge once towed.
			also need fuel removal.

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1346	NCRCC	on air	no OC transpo running thru core @ this time.
1346	comms	NCRCC	O'Connor / 8 Parks, no patrol available.
1351	shurcap	I/C	Portage is being monitored only
1403	on air	NCRCC	need more units East of Chateau Laurier
1403	QRT1	NCRCC	if 10.92 is too 10.59 to sign release are they going to cello?
1404	9330	NCRCC	vehicle w/ human waste, need city / sanitation to take it
1406	ICC	on air	How many protesters @ Chateau Laurier..
1406	on air	ICC	approx 35 protesters.
1406	QRT1	NCRCC	will attempt to process 10.92 @ Bayview / Slidell
1409	SUAB		4 x Doubled RCMP EIR to Chateau Laurier
1437	9330	NCRCC	we will be positioning our heavy wreckers on MacKenzie King Bridge shortly.
1448	Hull	I/C	market is filling w/ protesters who are coming from Alexandra Bridge, can we stop them?
1449	I/C + Hull	SC	if group of people are trying to come to Ottawa using Alexandra or Portage bridges, close bridge (SC + Gatinou advised)
1452	I/C	Hull	traffic units to get count of vehicles left on Kent Street.
1453	OPP	I/C	cannot fuel rental cars, running low on fuel.
1454	Suab	I/C	coaches are dropping people off, can media put out message?
1454	I/C	Palmer	(phone call) discuss fueling rentals provided to OPP. Cavanagh contacted by Suab
1456	I/C	C. Robertson	(phone call) RE: fueling rentals.
1500		Joint Sit Rep:	
			opp: no update on convoys. resources.
			RCMP: resource info.
			Intel: REDACTED - appear to be packing up and leaving + social media posts. march from Quebec side, bridges have been closed to pedestrians.
			OPS: update on resources, line being pushed, checking Kent for #15.
1504			end of Sit Rep



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1504	Robertson	I/C	Rental cars all have E-mo fobs. use Sam Fawaz's carding + enter mileage. (for OPP) (OPP updated) for OPS vehicles, QRT's have been handing over fobs as needed.
1506	NORCC	on air	Push Jan Wellington/Bank Westward.
1507	on air	NORCC	2 OFD - 1 OFD van + Tactical Truck in the way of ferrying on Mackenzie by Chateau Laurier
1511	9984	NORCC	getting info of a gathering @ 474 Elgin.
1511	on air	NORCC	Site Security is in place, no protesters.
1514	NORCC	on air	OPP will move to front of 474 Elgin.
1518	Hull	I/C	less than 10 North of Laurier on Kent. (vehicle count)
1521	NORCC	on air	info of protesters @ ST Vincent hospital. units EIR.
1521	Remp MacNeill (MacNeill)	I/C	consolidating some markers and adding to QRTs + adding 45 officers + 6 Danielis Danielis @ Chateau Laurier. in case of surge.
1526	on air	NORCC	2 people in Canada Post uniforms tried to enter exclusion area, they were turned away.
1530	Botting	NORCC	people @ Confederation Park will move along.
1530	NORCC	on air	moving protesters down Bank (POU)
1532	I/C (phone call)	Bernier	updates on status of Kent St, Laurier to Wellington. discussed operational tempo.
1533	Swab	I/C	how far are they pushing South on Bank? heading to 2x OPP posts.
1535	NORCC	on air	metcalfe/Sparks, QRT needed to assist w/ ferrying + jersey barriers.
1536	I/C	POU	how far are you pushing South?
1538	POU	I/C	hoping to push as far as Bay. will hold South, will need once ferrying in place and depending on activity. (Swab updated as well)

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1540	PPS	NORCC	they are pushing fence @ Chateau Laurier
1540	on air	NORCC	all in order, multiple units.
1540	PPS	NORCC	people pushing fences on South West corner of hotel. (Chateau Laurier)
1542	Svab		RCMP going to S/W of Chateau
1542	Svab	I/C	SJAM. 30 personal veh's, 3 R.V.'s no trucks.
1543	Svab	I/c	what is your stance on relief of duty's
1543	IK	Svab	1 for 1 replacement
1547	NORCC	on air	S/W corner of Chateau Laurier, folks appear to be stuck / Blocked in there.
1550	9349	NORCC	trucks w/ flags + protesters E/B 417 @ Hunt Club. (info given to CPP)
1552	on air	NORCC	Nicholas / Laurier, people walking past any chance of getting 'jersey barriers'?
1554	Svab		Coventry starting to tear down by protesters.
1554	Quesnel (SIS)	I/C	Surveillance will monitor more as they indicate plan to go to private location (Coventry) - eyes on REDACTED 1 veh. @ REDACTED REDACTED in Gattineau grounds to meet for mischief and council to commit mischief.
1558	ICC	on air	anyone working downtown, hear a loud bang South edge of core?
1634	RCMP	I/C	4 x 6 person teams will be 24/7 almost immediately.
1636	Paramedic	I/C	looking for directions / update on plans for actions on
1636	I/C	Paramedic	plan for now is to keep pushing South to Bay.
1654	9320	NORCC	Can we have assistance @ Mackenzie King Bridge @ Slater, lots of traffic E/B. 2 units O/S getting overwhelmed



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1657	NCRCC	on air	Elgin / Wellington, media trying to access secure area.
1700	I/C	RCMP	RCMP members (100) went to briefing in a bus, they do not have any vehicles @ this time. normally they attend w/ their own vans, Adam MacNeill RCMP looking into this
1700		Joint Sit Reps:	OPS: update on tow operations, seizure of CVOR + licence. less than 10 veh's on Kent moved past Bank, fencing has gone up. OPP: Convoy Amprior + White Lake, monitoring convoy in Hawkesbury not coming to Ottawa. About 100 people St Guillaume. PPS: quiet on The Hill, House still sitting, sitting tomorrow also. Intel: OPS arrests (update), protesters observed grouping on White Lake. End of briefing
1707			
1708	I/C	MacIntyre	RCMP (MacNeill) working on vehicles for his members.
1712	Hull	I/C	SJAM + South being cleared by traffic units, towing vehicles.
1720	Quesnel (SIS)	I/C + OPP	posted message RE: Odele Bank St and Herbs in Vankleek Hill, depending "everyone go to location you were given, and we will surround the city with love"
1728	Comms	NCRCC	Cooper / Bronson - about 10 vehicles went thru barrier / cones QRT E/R
1730	8305	on air	Someone moved beacon like barrier, we put it back. clearing.
1733	I/C	Svab	(rentals available @ Ben Franklin, for RCMP. will need to be sure to return them @ end of shift and not get on the bus. Chaudiere Bridge has been reopened.
1735	Hull	I/C	
1735	PPS	Svab	Parliament Staff are being denied access to parking @ Wellington / Lyon.

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